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## CONGRESSIONAL RECORD — DAILY DIGEST

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## FOREIGN SERVICE BUILDINGS

*Committee on Foreign Affairs:* The Subcommittee on State Department Organization and Foreign Operations in executive session received the testimony of two State Department officials relative to a proposed amendment to the Foreign Service Buildings Act.

## INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS

*Committee on Foreign Affairs:* The Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs met in executive session but took no action.

## FEDERAL AIRPORT ACT

*Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce:* Met in executive session relative to proposed amendments to the Federal Airport Construction Act, made no announcement, and continued in executive session tomorrow.

## FEDERAL AID TO EDUCATION

*Committee on Education and Labor:* Subcommittee on General Education held hearing on H.R. 22, and related bills, providing for Federal aid to education. Witnesses heard were Lawrence Derthick, Commissioner of Education, Eliot Richardson, Assistant Secretary, and other officials of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

## LEGISLATION FOR THE BLIND

*Committee on Education and Labor:* Subcommittee on Special Education met in executive session with respect to an agenda for future hearings. It was announced that hearings on proposed legislation relating to the blind will begin on Monday, March 9, following the conclusion of which will be hearings relative to juvenile delinquency.

## PUBLIC LANDS

*Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs:* Subcommittee on Public Lands held hearing but took no action on H.R. 4731 and 4748, identical bills, to extend the leasing provisions of the act of June 14, 1926, to certain lands in Oregon, and on H.R. 2154, to acquire certain additional property to be included within the Independence National Historical Park. Witnesses heard were Representative Byrne of Pennsylvania and Interior Department and public witnesses, respectively.

## APPROPRIATION LEGISLATION

*Committee on Rules:* Concluded hearings but took no action on H. Res. 161, amending the Rules of the House relative to appropriation measures. Testimony was received from Representatives Aspinall, Saylor, Ford, Teague of Texas, and Kilbarn.

## UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE

*Committee on Rules:* Piled motion that hearings be held on H. Res. 55, which would abolish the Committee

on Un-American Activities and transfer its powers and duties to the Committee on the Judiciary; and also on H. Res. 110, which would establish a Committee on Subversive Activities in lieu of the Committee on Un-American Activities.

## CONGRESSIONAL ASSISTANTS

*Committee on Rules:* Postponed for a week the decision as to whether or not to hold hearings on the granting of a rule on H.R. 4521, to authorize each Member of the House of Representatives to employ an administrative assistant.

## MILITARY MISCELLANY

*Committee on Armed Services:* Ordered favorably reported to the House the following bills:

H.R. 4113 (amended), to provide improved opportunity for promotion for certain officers in the naval service;

H.R. 3323, to establish a peacetime limitation on the number of lieutenant generals in the Marine Corps;

H.R. 3412, a private bill;

H.R. 3413, a private bill;

H.R. 3290, to eliminate the requirement that each chaplain make an annual report to the Secretary of the Navy;

H.R. 3291, with respect to certain medals;

H.R. 3292, to authorize the furnishing of supplies and services to foreign vessels and aircraft;

H.R. 3293, to authorize the construction of modern naval vessels;

H.R. 3368, to extend the special enlistment programs provided by section 262 of the Armed Forces Reserve Act of 1952, as amended; and

H.R. 3365 (amended), to authorize the crediting of certain service for purpose of retired pay for nonregular service.

The chairman also announced the appointment of a special subcommittee to consider H.R. 3387, with relation to the Uniform Code of Military Justice. Representative Kilday will serve as chairman of the subcommittee.

## CIA

*Committee on Science and Astronautics:* Met in executive session and received testimony from Allen Dulles, Director, Central Intelligence Agency.

## INTERNAL REVENUE TAXATION

*Committee on Ways and Means:* Held hearings on advisory group reports submitted to the Subcommittee on Internal Revenue Taxation. Testimony was received from the chairman and members of the advisory group of subchapter K (Partners and Partnerships) of the Internal Revenue Code.

Hearings continue tomorrow.